Town of Shirley

Recreation Commission



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Shirley Recreation Commission

Meeting minutes, general meeting 8/31/2020 recorded by Jay Duffner

Attendees: Keith Begun, Linda Cournoyer, Jay Duffner, Brad Price, Tonya Driscoll

Call to order 5:12PM

Agenda

- Call to order at 5PM
- · Phase 2 & 3 guidance- Basketball and Soccer
- Finances if available
- · Adjournment

Basketball

No ASYB meeting since the last Rec. Com. Meeting. Only half of the Ayer-Shirley Middle School gym is currently available. It may be difficult to schedule practice times and game times for all teams. Having a season will depend on the opening level and state recommendations for indoor basketball.

Soccer

ASYS call on 8/31/20 to discuss running an Ayer-Shirley only soccer season. Majority of clubs in NVYSL have decided not to play in league. SYS registration currently open and registration

numbers will support a fall in-town season for kindergarteners and for Grades 1&2. Will collect registration fees starting September 5.

Request for use of Senior Center Fields for Wiffleball

Sam Yates, a Shirley resident, has requested use of the senior center fields to play pickup whiffle ball on Wednesdays at 3PM. Determined that wiffleball will not conflict with soccer Wednesday evenings.

COVID Relief Funds

Letter detailing losses in the winter and spring recreation programs due to COVID-19 will be sent to town accountant the week of 8/31 requesting relief funds to be allocated to recreation commission.

Minutes from 8/17/2020 approved.

Bills

Signed turnover for bills (Cournoyer).

Discussion about making a policy for Shirley Recreation to outline the non-political nature of our sports programs and to make policies concerning behaviors on sporting fields. Discussion to be continued in future meetings

Next meeting Tuesday, September 15th.

Motion to adjourn (Duffner, 2[™] Price) 7:07PM

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